

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Yoichiro Ohta )  
Serial No.: 10/796,344 )  
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For: VACUUM PROCESSING )  
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Art Unit: 1792 )  
Examiner: Lund, Jeffrie Robert )

Commissioner for Patents  
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**TRANSMITTAL**

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following:

(X) Appellant's Brief on Appeal Under 37 C.F.R. 41.37.

(X) Please charge the Deposit Account of record.

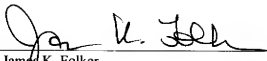
(X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. Should no proper amount be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 07-2069.

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